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Group Art Unit: 1621

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Examiner: P. Zucker

For: **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR
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This is in response to the Interview Summary of October 29, 2003 in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants are required to file a statement of substance of the interview. Since a response to the last Office Action was filed prior to the mailing of Interview Summary, Applicants are herein providing the required statement.

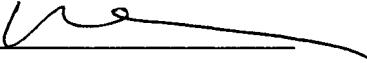
During the telephonic interview on October 29, 2003, with Examiner Paul A. Zucker, the undersigned (Attorney Peng Chen) called to indicate that the amendment of the claims to be drawn to the treatment of H. pylori infection was acceptable to applicants and that he would prepare and

fax an amendment to the Examiner incorporating this change. The Supplemental Amendment was faxed to Examiner Zucker on October 29, 2003.

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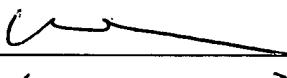
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